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APPLICATION OF

CPV WARREN, LLC

CASE NO. PUE-2002-00075

For a certificate of public convenience and necessity for electric generation facilities in Warren County, Virginia

HEARING EXAMINER'S RULING

July 17, 2002

On July 12, 2002, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation ("Columbia Transmission") filed a Notice of Participation as a Respondent Out-Of-Time ("Notice"). On July 16, 2002, CPV Warren, LLC ("CPV Warren" or "Company") filed a Motion in Support of Notice of Participation as a Respondent Out-Of-Time ("Motion"). As explained in the Notice and Motion, CPV Warren inadvertently filed a copy of the notice for this proceeding on Columbia Gas of Virginia, instead of Columbia Transmission. Columbia Transmission did not learn of the proceeding until June 26, 2002. Columbia Transmission agrees to accept the record "as is" and is not seeking to delay the current procedural schedule for the proceeding. The Company asserts that no parties will be prejudiced by the granting of Columbia Transmission's Notice. Good cause having been shown, I find Columbia Transmission's Notice and CPV Warren's Motion should be granted.

IT IS DIRECTED that Columbia Transmission's Notice of Participation is hereby accepted.

Alexander F. Skirpan, Jr. Hearing Examiner